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**APPLICANT:** John Chaco et al.  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend as follows:

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10**

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date June 18, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mail Label Number EL757869022US addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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